**Distributiohn of rotten grains**

†2370. SHRI RK. MAHESHWARI: Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rotten wheat and tasteless rice is being provided to the consumers in different States under the "Antyodaya" and mid-day meal scheme;

(b) whether any arrangements are being made by Government to ensure imemdiate distribution of the foodgrains to the consumer, provided to the State Governments under the said schemes;

(c) whether Government are contemplating to constitute a monitoring committee at Central level for the scandals taking place in this regard; and

(d) the quantum of foodgrains being provided under both the schemes, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI SUBHASH MAHARIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Under the Puolic Distribution System (Control) Order, 2001, State Governments are required to ensure delivery of allotted foodgrains to the Fair Price Shops within the first week of the month for which allocation is made.

*ic)* A Task Force has been constituted in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution which visits States to review procurement and implementation of the TPDS. Officers of the Department of Food & Public Distribution, Government of India, designated as Area Officers are also monitoring the Targetted Public Distribution System including Antyodaya Anna Yojana in the respective States. Similarly, officers of the rank of Under Secretaries and above of the Department of Elementary Education & Literacy and Department of Secondary & Higher Education undertake surprise checks during their visits to States on the implementation of the Mid Day Meal scheme.

(d) Details showing the state-wise allocation of foodgrains under Antyodaya Anna Yojana and Mid Day Meal scheme are at statements I and.11 respectively.

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

***Statement I***

*Monthly Allocation ofFoodgrains to States/UTs Under Antyodaya Anna Yojana*

(In'000 Tonnes)

| S.N | .State/UT | Alkx nation | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Rice | Wheat | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 21.798 | 0.000 | 21.798 |
| 2. | Arunachal Pradesh | 0.529 | 0.000 | 0.529 |
| 3. | Assam | 9.853 | 0.000 | 9.853 |
| 4. | Bihar | 14.000 | 21.000 | 35.000 |
| 5. | ChhattJsgarh | 10.059 | 0.000 | 10.059 |
| 6. | Delhi | 0.320 | 0.800 | 1.120 |
| 7. | Goa | 0.256 | 0.000 | 0.256 |
| 8. | Gujarat | 2.275 | 9.100 | 11.375 |
| 9. | Haryana | 0000 | 3.914 | 3.914 |
| 10. | Himachal Pradesh | 1.574 | 1.181 | 2.755 |
| 11. | Jammu & Kashmir | 3.006 | 0.946 | 3.952 |
| 12. | Jharkhand | 7.100 | 5J28 | 12.828 |
| 13. | Karnataka | 13.430 | 3.360 | 16.790 |
| 14. | Kerala | 8.337 | 0.000 | 8.337 |
| 15. | Madhya Pradesh | 4.427 | 17.707 | 22.134 |
| 16. | Maharashtra | 12.271 | 22.789 | 35.060 |
| 17. | Manipur | 0.893 | 0.000 | 0.893 |
| 18. | Meghalaya | 0.984 | 0.000 | 0.984 |
| 19. | Mizoram | 0.368 | 0.000 | 0.368 |
| 20. | Nagaland | 0.532 | 0.130 | 0.662 |
| 21. | Orissa | 17.693 | 0.000 | 17.693 |
| 22. | Punjab | 0.000 | 2.510 | 2.510 |
| 23. | Rajasthan | 0.150 | 12.891 | 13.041 |
| 24. | Sikkim | 0.235 | 0.000 | 0.235 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 25. | Tamil Nadu | 25.002 | 0.000 | 25.002 |
| 26. | Tripura | 1.583 | 0.000 | 1.583 |
| 27. | Uttaranchal | 1.873 | 0.798 | 2.671 |
| 28. | Uttar Pradesh | 19.644 | 37.651 | 57.295 |
| 29. | West Bengal | 12.824 | 12.825 | 25.649 |
| 30. | A&N Island® | 0.108 | 0.042 | 0.150 |
| 31. | Chandigarh | 0.074 | 0.000 | 0.074 |
| 32. | D&N Haveli | 0.070 | 0.028 | 0.098 |
| 33. | Daman & Diu | 0.014 | 0.007 | 0.21 |
| 34. | Lakshadweep® | 0.014 | 0.000 | 0.014 |
| 35. | Pondicherry | 0.350 | 0.000 | 0.350 |
| | TOTAL | 191.646 | 153.407 | 345.053 |

©Allocation for these two UTs are made annually.

***Statement II***

*Allocation ofFoodgrains to StatesAJTs under Mid-Day Meal Scheme during 2002-2003*

(In'000 Tonnes)

| S. N. | .State/UT | Allocs Rice | ation Wheat | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 233.69 | 0.00 | 223.69 |
| 2. | Arunachal Pradesh | 5.00 | 0.00 | 5.00 |
| 3. | Assam | 91.72 | 0.00 | 91.72 |
| 4. | Bihar | 57.59 | 185.29 | 242.88 |
| 5. | Chhattisgarh | 74.55 | 0.00 | 74.55 |
| 6. | Delhi | 0.00 | 20.22 | 20.22 |
| 7. | Goa | 2.07 | 0.00 | 2.07 |
| 8. | Gujarat | 32.59 | 32.59 | 65.18 |
| 9. | Haryana | 23.07 | 23.07 | 46.14 |
| 10. | Himachal Pradesh | 19.20 | 0.00 | 19.20 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11. | Jammu & Kashmir | 24.66 | 0.00 | 24.66 |
| 12. | Jharkhand | 47.44 | 4.36 | 51.80 |
| 13. | Karnataka | 142.92 | 10.64 | 153.56 |
| 14. | Kerala | 47.11 | 0.00 | 47.11 |
| 15. | Madhya Pradesh | 49.31 | 161.34 | 210.65 |
| 16. | Maharashtra | 297.93 | 0.00 | 297.93 |
| 17. | Manipur | 8.62 | 0.00 | 8.62 |
| 18. | Meghalaya | 13.04 | 0.00 | 13.04 |
| 19. | Mizoram | 2.81 | 0.00 | 2.81 |
| 20. | Nagaland | 4.79 | 0.00 | 4.79 |
| 21. | Orissa | 123.76 | 0.00 | 123.76 |
| 22. | Punjab | 0.00 | 48.62 | 48.62 |
| 23. | Rajasthan | 0.00 | 154.04 | 154.04 |
| 24. | Sikkim | 2.31 | 0.00 | 2.31 |
| 25. | Tamil Nadu | 108.03 | 0.00 | 108.03 |
| 26. | Tripura | 13.80 | 0.00 | 13.80 |
| 27. | Uttaranchal | 20.79 | 3.86 | 24.65 |
| 28. | Uttar Pradesh | 151.10 | 294.57 | 445.67 |
| 29. | West Bengal | 292.92 | 0.00 | 292.92 |
| 30. | A&N Island | 1.08 | 0.00 | 1.08 |
| 31. | Chandigarh | 0.00 | 1.25 | 1025 |
| 32. | D&N Haveli | 0.78 | 0.00 | 0.78 |
| 33. | Daman & Diu | 0.30 | 0.00 | 0.30 |
| 34. | Lakshadweep | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 35. | Pondicherry | 1.25 | 0.00 | 1.25 |
| | TOTAL | 1884.23 | 939.85 | 2824.08 |

**Allocation of kerosene to Kerala**

2371. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN: Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present quantity of kerosene allocation to Kerala;